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## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: WOLFGANG SENGE for : HERBAL STEAM DEVICE. Enclosed are:

- ☒ 6 sheet(s) of drawings, 15 pages of application (including title page), and the following Appendices : \_\_\_\_.
- ☒ Declaration.
- ☐ Power of Attorney.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to : \_\_\_\_.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO 1449 and 3 cited references.

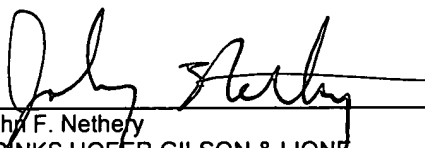
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| Claims as Filed                                                      |           |           | Small Entity |        | or | Other Than Small Entity |        |
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| Basic Fee                                                            | No. Filed | No. Extra |              | \$ 385 | or |                         | \$ 770 |
| Total Claims                                                         | 24-20     | 4         | x\$9=        | \$     | or | 4x\$18=                 | \$72   |
| Indep. Claims                                                        | 3-3       |           | x\$43=       | \$     | or | x\$8 6=                 | \$     |
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